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Examiner's Amendment

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

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In claim 1, line 1, the terms "implant root to-be planted" has been changed to -- implant root to be implanted -- to make it clear that applicant is not claiming the bone as part of his invention

In claim 1, line 13, "portion" has been changed to --

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